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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GOSWELL STREET, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & CO., 4 Old Jewry, E.C.

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SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally:—WATKINS & BAUER, San Francisco.

CHINA:—Sutton, Down & Co. Agents, 5, Gilt Street, London. Co., Shanghai, H. Koo & Co. Agents, 10, Gilt Street, London.

Arrivals.

March 10, *Kalamee*, Siamese steamer, 7 a.m., from Bangkok, March 3, General. Chinese.

March 10, *China*, North German steamer, 6 a.m., from Shanghai, March 7, 6 a.m., General. Siamese & Co.

March 10, *Ellen Rickmers*, North German steamer, 300, *Rehm*, Yokohama, Feb. 24, Ballast. Siamese & Co.

March 11, *Clipper*, from Whampoa.

Departures.

March 11, *Suwanada*, for Shanghai, 11 a.m., for Macao.

Passengers.

ARRIVED.—Per *China*, from Shanghai, Mrs. Fessenden, and 10 Chinese.

DEPARTED.—Per *Suwanada*, for Shanghai, Messrs. A. Cook, R. Maitland, Wm. Bincombe, H. Lucas, C. W. Orms.

Shipping Reports.

The N. G. steamer *China*, from Shanghai, reports left Shanghai on 7th inst. at 6 a.m.; experienced light Northwesterly winds and fine weather, then thick foggy weather and rain; on 9th instant at 1 a.m., passed a steamer bound North.

The Siamese steamer *Kalamee*, from Bangkok, reports the first 5 days had fine weather and wind from the North until last two days, when wind from East and cloudy weather until arrival in port.

New Advertisements.

SEALED TENDERS (in Duplicate) marked "Tenders for Bills" will be received at this Office until Noon on FRIDAY, the 19th instant, for Bills on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or on the Governor General of India in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days' sight, in exchange for current Dollars of Hongkong at 7.1.

Bills on London will not be drawn for sums under £1,000, and on Calcutta under Rupees 10,000.

The accepted Tenders will be at once notified to the respective parties by letter, requesting them to lodge the amount to the credit of the Commissionaire, Account at the Oriental Bank Corporation, where a receipt will be given, on production of which at this Office the Bills will be issued.

In order to save time, it is requested that the bills required may be detailed in the margin of the Tender, and it is particularly requested that the Tenders may be in duplicate.

REDMOND UNIAOKE, Dep. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hongkong, March 11, 1869. mar19

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders of this Society, will be held at the Head Office, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the first day of April proximo, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a statement of accounts to 31st December, 1868.

By order of the Board of Directors, ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary.

Hongkong, March 10, 1869. april

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer Books of the Society will be closed from the 18th day of March to the 1st day of April 1869, both days included, during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By order of the Board of Directors, ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary.

Hongkong, March 10, 1869. april

RAFFLE 1. LOCOMOTIVE, with Tender, 2 Carriages and Lingo, 6 feet Diameter, with brass rails.

2. LOCOMOTIVE, single.

3. PADDLE ENGINE, with Boiler, &c., complete.

The above will be shortly raffled at \$5 a chance. Apply to

WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gunmakers, Hongkong, March 10, 1869. mar18

New Advertisements.

"STAG HOTEL." Queen's Road, Hongkong. EDMUND R. HOLMES, FOR SALE. PALE ALE, \$13 per kilderkin. Ginger BRANDY, (Swaine Board & Co.) \$6 per doz. OLD TOM (Swaine Board & Co.) \$5 per doz. PALE DRY SHERRY, \$8 per doz. PORT, \$9 per doz. EDMUND R. HOLMES, Wine & Spirit Merchant, "Stag Hotel" Stores, Hongkong, March 10, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr GEORGE E. PORT, to whom all communications should be addressed.

LEE A FONG, Lessee.

Hongkong Hotel, March 8, 1869.

GRAND PHOTOGRAPHIC RAFFLE OF 6000 PHOTOGRAPHS OF HONGKONG, ETO, ETC.

ALL Prizes: Highest Prize 50 Photographs; Lowest Prize 12 Photographs, at \$5 per Chance.

Will take place on or about the 12th of April next.

The Undersigned, who is about leaving Hongkong, at an early date, begs to return his sincere thanks to his Patrons, for past favours; is compelled to leave China this Summer for Europe.

Desires to remind the public that the average price of the above is only about 35 cents each—a chance that will not again be offered in this Colony; on the contrary, Photographs will advance in price, and fall in quality, after the closing of this Establishment.

Those who wish to have a first-class Camera &c. &c. will do well to pay us a visit as soon as possible; this Establishment will be closed in May next.

Reduced Price List on application.

FLOYD & Co., Hongkong, March 6, 1869. april

NOTICE.

ALL Amounts Due to me on Hongkong Hotel Account between the 1st Dec, 1868, and the 28th of February, 1869, are payable upon the Receipt of Mr G. LANGDON DAVIES, Public Accountant, who will sign my name per pro, to such Receipts.

All Receipts for Monies becoming due to me on or after March the First, and all Orders for Goods will be signed by myself.

LEE A FONG, Lessee for the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong, March 5, 1869. 19mar

ANTED, by a European, an engagement for two or three years; is well up in Boiler-making, Iron Ship Building, Ships' Smith-work &c. Can make his own Drawings and Estimates. Three years' character from one of the principal Firms in China will be disengaged in a few weeks.

Address: "B. M." STAG HOTEL, Hongkong, March 5, 1869. april5

NOTICE.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA LIMITED.

MR ROBERT S. WALKER has this day been appointed Secretary to the Company; and MR JOHN INGLIS, the present Acting Secretary, resumes his functions as Managing Engineer for the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors, JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary, Hongkong, March 3, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's stock will fall due on the dates following, viz:—

On 1st July, 1869,	\$25
1st July, 1870,	25
1st Jan., 1872,	25
1st Jan., 1873,	25

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager, Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable on and after MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager, Hongkong, February 15, 1869. mar15

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE Fortnightly Market Circulars published by the CHAMBER, will in future be delivered from the Office of the Under-Secretary of the Chamber, in a box placed for the purpose within the same building.

The Company's Stock of Chandlery and other Fittings will, after the above date, be on view at the premises of Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Queen's Road.

J. W. WOOD, Secretary, Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DENT & Co.

A Second DIVIDEND of Five per cent. upon the amount of all claims admitted to the Trustees will be paid on the 15th May next.

On application to Mr G. OVERBROOK, at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with Warrants signed by the Trustees, which will be payable at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Hongkong, March 2, 1869. jun2

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned being about to leave the Colony, request that all persons indebted to them will make immediate payment of same and all persons having claims against them will present them for settlement by 31st March 1869.

FRED. M. HARSANT, GEORGE A. F. NORRIS, Hongkong, March 1, 1869. apl

TO LET.

(With possession on the 1st May next.)

THOSE very desirable business Premises situated in the Queen's Road, and extending to the Praya, at present occupied by Messrs BOWEN & Co. This Property can be divided into three portions, viz:—

1. That on the Praya is detached and comprising extensive Godowns on the ground and middle floors, with private residence on the upper floor and separate entrance thereto.

2. The portion abutting on the Queen's Road, from its very central position, is admirably adapted for a Shop or Store, having godowns on the basement floor, and dwelling apartments on the upper floor.

3. The central portion consists of two blocks of buildings, each two storied, and suitable for offices and godowns.

Particulars apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, March 1, 1869. my1

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to notify their intention of retiring from business and offer the whole of their valuable stock at rates to secure an immediate Sale.

The Stock consists of every description of Shipbuilding Goods, Ironmongery and Building Materials, Wines, Beer, Spirits and Family Stores, Electro-plated Ware in great variety, Drugs, Mats, Glassware, Dish Covers, Luggage, Journals, Day and Cash Books, Breach-Loading Rifles, Pistols, Cartridges, Sporting Shot, Gas Chambers and Brackets, &c., &c.; Oil Chandeliers, 1, 2, 3, and 6 burners; Peacock's Composition and Paints of all kinds.

And, Chubb's Fireproof Safes as under, 4 ft. high, 3 ft. 3 in. wide, 2 ft. 1 in. deep, 3 ft. 4 in. high, 3 ft. 1 in. wide, 2 ft. deep, and several of smaller sizes. Chubb's patent Pad, Desk, Combination, Drawer, Box, and other kinds, and Chubb's Cash, Desk, and Paper Boxes.

A large assortment of Reading Books.

Must all be cleared by 31st March, (see advertisement above.)

BOWEN & Co., Hongkong, March 1, 1869. mar15

THE next General MEETING of the Members of the MORRISON EDUCATION Society, will be held in the London Mission House, on the 30th March, at 3 P.M.

D. B. MORRIS, Secretary, Hongkong, March 1, 1869. mar30

MESSRS. KOSK & Co.

BEGET to inform the public of Hongkong that they had established themselves as TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS, on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs LADAGE, OBER & Co.

Having secured the services of an experienced European Cutter, and also having received large stocks of the latest patterns, they are prepared to meet all the requirements of the present season.

A large stock of Ready-made CLOTHING, of the latest Fashions, always on hand.

KOSK & Co., Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, February 6, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Office of the WANCHI STRAM BAKERY, is removed to the Premises, corner of Wyndham Street and Queen's Road, opposite the Clock Tower.

All orders left at the above place, or sent to the Bakery at Wanchi, will receive prompt attention.

L. P. WARD, Hongkong, February 15, 1869. mar15

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE.—On and after the first day of March next, the office of this Company, situated over the Hongkong Dispensary will be closed. Letters can however be left as heretofore in a box placed for the purpose within the same building.

The Company's Stock of Chandlery and other Fittings will, after the above date, be on view at the premises of Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Queen's Road.

A. NEWTON, Manager, Hongkong, February 18, 1869. my18

NOTICE is hereby given that the Captain and the Owners of the North German Barque "Albatros," will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the said vessel.

EDUARD SOELLHASS & Co. Agents, Hongkong, February 10, 1869.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

RAY & Co. have been instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 17th March, 1869, at Noon, at Messrs RUSSELL & Co.'s Godowns, Wanchi.

Muntz Metal Bars, 14 and 14 in. Copper Tubes, 8, 1, 1 and 1 1/2 in. Gas Pipes and Fittings (assorted). Steam Boilers and Wines. 15 tons Scotch Pig Iron. Copper Rivets. Composition Tubes.

1 Bayonet. 1 Iron Float. 1 Iron Well. 2 Iron Tanks. Iron Ropes. 1 smelting Furnace and stand for Do. 1 Walking Beam. 2 Shafts. 2 Anchors. 2 Felloe Blocks. 1 Iron Safe. 1 Galley Stove. Iron Doors. 665 lbs Bricks. 20 doz. Shovels. 2 Platform Scales. Russia Spun Yarn Packing. Cotton Packing. Wood Rasp. 324 doz. sheets Emery Cloth. And sundry articles of Engineers' Fittings.

Hongkong, March 10, 1869. mar17

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Property at Foochow, known as DENT & Co.'s, will be offered for sale by Public Auction, in June next, unless previously disposed of by private contract.

The Property consists of DWELLING HOUSE, containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms, with Servants' Offices and Stables detached; the whole surrounded by a Garden.

This House is let on a short Lease at \$150 per month.

OFFICES AND GODOWNS.

A House containing 4 Offices and Spacious Tea Room, with fireproof Godowns, large Treasury, and Commodore's Rooms below, Servants' Offices &c., attached.

Three large Godowns, A, B, and C, adjoining the above.

This property has water frontage, is situated in the most eligible portion of the business quarter of Foochow, and is let on a Repairing Lease for 5 years, commencing from the 1st May next, at the annual rental of \$4,500.

For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's Hill.

Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 13th March, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank Building.

An Invoice of Kerosene Lamps, assorted.

50 gilt Clocks, with shades. 75 doz. Files, 4 to 14 inch. (And to close a consignment.) 16 cases American Tobacco.

An Invoice of Stationery, comprising: Account Current Paper, Foolscap, Letter Paper, Envelopes, Ready Reckoners, Log Books, Letter Press-copy Books, Letter and Reference Files, Letter Clips, Quill Pens, Compendious Order Books, Waters, Pen Racks, Inkstands, Cargo Books, Pen Holders, Official Log Books, Red Ink, Metallic Memo. Books, &c., &c.

A few Nautical Almanacs for 1869.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer, Hongkong, March 9, 1869. mar13

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 19th day of March 1869, at 4 o'clock P.M., on the Premises.

That spacious and pleasantly situated HOUSE, known as "Harperville," just in rear of the Altany, built on the North Eastern section of Island Lot No. 648, and containing a large piece of Ground attached.

Notices to Consignees.

"BLACK PRINCE" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
TURNER & Co.
Hongkong, March 4, 1869.

BARQUE "BENEFACITOR" FROM NEW YORK.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, March 1, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE following cases are now stored in the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Godown at the expense and risk of the Consignees who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "China," 30th January 1869.
S. H. M. 1 case Catalogues.
Ex "Rangoon," 2nd January 1869.
Messrs Labhart & Co., 1 case Leather Ware.
Messrs Loney & Co., 1 case Books & Stationery.
Ex "Empire," 23rd October 1868.
Messrs Labhart & Co., 1 case Manufd. Goods.
Ex "Orion," 24th August, 1868.
Messrs Labhart & Co., 2 cases Books and Manufd. Goods.
L. H. Labhart & Co., 411.
W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, February 26, 1869.

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Hooghly," 31st October, 1868.
VC 827, 1 case Arms.
Ex "Cambodge," 2d February, 1869.
GFO 15985, 1 case chemicals.
O. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, February 2, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

THE Firm of Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., of Hongkong, is instructed to ascertain the whereabouts of DON KAFARU YDEGORAS, 18 years of age, native of Guatemala, in Central America, to impart to him a matter in which he is concerned. He is therefore requested to apply to the above.

Hongkong, February 5, 1869. 5-4-m.

MR S. H. DAVID is authorized to sign our Firm per procreation from this date.

E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Hongkong, March 1, 1869. apl

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.

Mr. THOMAS PIM, Mr. WILLIAM NISBET OLIPHANT and Mr. H. S. SASSOON are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OLIPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr GEORGE WILHELM SCHWEMMANN and of Mr RUDOLPH HEINSEN in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1867, and 31st December 1868 respectively.

Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINRICH ROEPFUS have this day been admitted partners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr GEORGE THOMAS STEINER, Mr. WILHELM NISSEN, Mr. ADOLPH JOSEF, Mr. FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr. HEINRICH ROEPFUS.

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1869. 2pr

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADJUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

C. LANGDON DAVIES,
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FREDERICK PRIDDER in our Firm ceases from this date.

H. D. BROWN & Co.
Amoy, December 31, 1868. apr2

MR. FRANCIS CHOMLEY is a Partner in our Firm, which from this date will be conducted under the Name of BROWN & Co.

H. D. BROWN & Co.
Amoy, January 1, 1869. apr2

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this Port.

S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 16, 1867.

NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr CLAUD BUNDE to sign our Firm from this date.

DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

MR D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm, and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr B. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners from this date.

RUSSELL & Co.
China, January 1, 1869. july3

For Sale.

BONNETT & Co.
HAVE received by latest arrivals.
Racing SADDLERY, JACKETS, CAPS, white CLOTH for Riding Breaches, BOOT TOPS, Racing SPURS, &c., &c.
Horse RUGS, and an assortment of general SADDLERY.

Also,
Ladies' HATS, WREATHS, Jot JEWELLERY, &c.
Gentlemen's SCARVES, and colored and white Kid Gloves.

1, Wyndham Street,
Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

PER MAIL, &c.

MISS ROSE
Fancy SILKS, SATINS, TRIMMINGS, &c., &c.
Ladies' and Children's HATS and BONNETS, FLOWERS, &c.
Comvoisier's Kid GLOVES.
White French Jean and Satin BOOTS.
Ladies' and Children's Walking BOOTS, SLIPPERS, &c.
Foot BALLS, Croquet GAMES and STANDS, Races and other GAMES, DOLLS, and TOYS of all kind, in great variety.
Hongkong, February 16, 1869. 16ma

Per "Mail Steamer" and late Arrivals.

HAS received a choice assortment of French GLASSES, black and colored, BAREGE and FANCY DRESSES, black and colored piece VELVETS and SATINS in the newest shades.
Plain and Fancy RIBBONS, VELVETS, SASH RIBBONS, and DRESS TRIMMINGS in great variety, Real OLONE and VALENCIENNES LACES.
Ladies' and Children's trimmed and untrimmed HATS in all the fashionable shapes.
Ladies' BONNETS latest styles, Plain and Fancy SUNSHADES, French FANS, &c.
Ladies' and Gentlemen's French Kid GLOVES and BOOTS.
Ladies' White Satin and Kid BOOTS.
A large assortment of French and English HOSIERY, Gentlemen's Black and Drab Shell HATS, SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, &c., &c.
Henrie's PERFUMERY.
WELLINGTON STREET,
Opposite the Catholic Chapel.
Hongkong, February 13, 1869.

S. W. BAKER & Co.

BEG to invite inspection of their New STOCK for the Season, received per late arrivals, including—

Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Opera Cloaks, Dresses in plain and fancy Silks, Poplinettes, Repps, and new Textures, French Robes, ready made, French Sashes, Belts, Jackets and Mantles, new shape Jupons, white and colored Corsets, Lace Falls, Lace and other Trimmings, Ribbons, and Ribbon Velvets in all colors, Hosiery, Kid Cashmere, and Bronze Boots, white Satin Boots and Kid Gloves. A large assortment of Wool and Embroidery Works, as Cushion Patterns, Smoking Caps, Masala Sets, &c.

Sangster's Umbrellas, Christy's new shape Felt and Shell Hats, a choice lot of Neck Scarfs, Ties, Wrappers, Collars, Socks, Fancy Tweeds and Coatings, &c.

Children's Trimmed Hats, Boots, Perambulators, Picture Books, Toys, &c.
Dressing Cases, and Travelling Bags fitted, for Ladies and Gentlemen, Playing Cards, and a large assortment of Stationery and Perfumery Goods.

S. W. BAKER & Co.
Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

FOR SALE.

ISSE THIRION & Co.'s Reims CHAMPAGNE, "Carte Blanche."
Instantaneous uncorking by patent mode.

Apply to
J. ROSS ANTON.
Hongkong, February 22, 1869. mar22

FOR THE RACES.

SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
HONG KONG.

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER.

A Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashions.

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUSLIN, and GRENADINE, for Evening Wear.

A fine assortment of new French FLOWERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS.

A large assortment of new TRIMMINGS and FRINGES in all colors.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS.

Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

(BRANDON ESTABLISHMENT,
20, Focchow Road, Shangai.

Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

For Sale.

WELFELD & ZACHARIAE.
HAVE received by the last mail the Newest Style of—
PIPE
now in use by
A. L. L.

men of fashion, and as only a few have come into their hands.

early orders for the same are solicited.

A well selected stock of Smokers' Articles, such as Carved Cigarholders; Briar-root Pipes; Havana Cigars (choice brands); No. 2 and 3 Manila Cigars and Cheroots of the finest quality, in boxes of 200 and 500 each; Smoking Tobacco (choice brands); Cigarette Paper, Tobacco Pouches, Flint, &c., &c., &c.

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Hongkong, February 16, 1869.

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Store Premises, on

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A number of OIL PAINTINGS, WATER COLOURS, etc., in magnificent Gilt Frames. They include Originals, and Copies from the best masters, and will be nearly all sold without reserve.

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2 Landscapes, original—REINHARDT.
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1 The Monk Happy, original—GEISER.
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1 "Distinguished Member of the Human Society" after LANDSEER.
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TERMS of SALE—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, March 11, 1869. mar23

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FRIDAY,

the 19th day of March, at Noon, on the Premises, under the power of sale contained in the deed of Mortgage—

All that piece or parcel of GROUND, situate on Bonham Strand West, and known as section B of Marine Lot No. 89, together with the two substantially built Chinese HOUSES erected thereon, and numbered respectively 133 and 12. Ground rent, £11.13.0 per annum.

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J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, March 11, 1869. mar19

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Praya Central, (near the P. & O. Co.'s Wharf).

BE Proprietors, in opening the above Establishment, hope by strict attention in business to merit a share of the Public Patronage.

Board and Lodging on reasonable terms. Table d'Hôte every day, at 9 A.M., 1 P.M., and 7 P.M. Single Meals may be had on the shortest notice, at all hours. Wines and Spirits of the best quality.

A. B.—Two first-class American Billiard Tables.

FRANCIS & SIMONS,
Proprietors.
Hongkong, February 26, 1869. tf

BILLIARDS,

BOWLS, and BAR.

NOTICE.

THE ORIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS, A and BOWLING ALLEYS, having been enlarged and fitted up in a very superior style (unfurnished) by me in the Colony, the Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, the 11th January, 1869, to their friends and the public, and trust with civility, Good Liquors and the well known reputation of this old-established House, to merit a share of their patronage. There are three first class Billiard Tables in a large airy and well-lighted room. The Bowling Alley needs no comment.

BROWN & Co.,
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Hongkong, January 9, 1869. tf

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LAWCETT & Co., having secured the service of an experienced Sail-Maker are prepared to MAKE or REPAIR SAILS at very reasonable rates.

Hongkong, December 16, 1868. tf

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NOTICE.

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THE undersigned hereby intimates that he has this day received the appointment of SURVEYOR to FRENCH LLOYDS under date of December 22nd, 1868.

ROBT. McMURDO.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

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UNDERTAKERS,
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LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice.

Apply at
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SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS
SUPPLIED & REFITTED.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867. tf

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Security, if required.

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55, Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

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Private Boarding Establishment.

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HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

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AND
COMMISSION AGENTS,
Queen's Road, HONGKONG.

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MR J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 11, 1868. tf

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HOUSE, SHIP, and STEAM-BOAT
FUMBLER,
COPPERSMITH and BRASSFOUNDER,
No. 1, Queen's Road East
and Nuliah Lane.
Hongkong, October 23, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

March 11, Northfleet, British ship, 876, Oates, Shanghai, March 6, Ballast.—GILMAN & Co.

DEPARTURES.

March 11, Niger, for Whampoa. 11, China, for Canton.

CLEARED.

Sea Serpent, for Zebu.

LOUISA, for Tientsin.

PASSENGERS.

Per Northfleet, from Shanghai, 2 Europeans and 16 Chinese.

The following European passengers left this for Canton yesterday morning—

Messrs Teevan, Leatham, Towell, 75th Regiment, G. Wallis, and H. Wallis.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE—

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOW.—Per "YESSO," on Saturday, the 13th inst., at 11 A.M.

For NAGASAKI.—Per "CATHARINA," at 6 P.M. To-morrow, the 12th inst.

UNDER DESPATCH.

For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per Yesso on Saturday, the 13th inst., at 11 A.M.

For Nagasaki.—Per Catharina, to-morrow, 12th inst.

QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 11th March, 1869.

OPIMUM.—Patna, New, \$660

Old, 640

Benares, Now, 640

Malwa, ... 730—firm.

COTTON.—BOMBAY, ... 18 a 23 1/2

Calcutta, ... 17 a 21

SHANGHAI, ...

Exchange.

Bank, 6 months' sight, ... 4 1/2

Credit, 6 ... 4 1/2

On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 221

"Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 221

"Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 74 1/2

Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 9 1/2

Sycee, ... 7 1/2

Mexicans, ... par.

Gold Leaf, ... 23.60 a 23.75

Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 23.40 a 23.60

English Sovereigns, ... 4.62

Australian Sovereigns, ... 4.60

Discount, ... 10 a 11

H. & W. Poon Dock, Old, ... 10 p.c. discount.

Do. ... 10 p.c. "

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Intimations.

NOTIFICATION.

THE TEA TRADE AT CANTON.

THE following Notification has been issued by Her Britannic Majesty's Consul at Canton:

No. 2.

BRITISH CONSULATE,
CANTON, February 26, 1869.

Representations having been made to the undersigned with reference to the difficulties experienced in obtaining the due fulfilment of contracts through the failure of the Teamen and Brokers to supply Teas in bulk according to the muster upon which they were purchased, he brought the matter, in conjunction with the Consul for the United States, before the Chinese authorities, with a view to devising some mode by which the evils complained of might be rectified. It is obvious that the remedy lay to a great extent in the hands of the purchasers themselves, by the refusal of the Teas if they were inferior to the samples, but difficulties interposed in following this course, such as 'bonages' having been engaged, advices having gone forward, and others unnecessary to mention. Moreover, as the rejection of a ship was little likely to cause loss or damage to the Teamen owing to market fluctuations, no unwillingness was felt on his part to such a result; in fact, it was an encouragement to fraudulent practices. The undersigned was therefore of opinion that compelling the fulfilment of contracts, or enforcing what is termed an 'equitable cut' for inferior quality, were necessary measures, if trade was to be conducted on anything like a sound basis; he therefore directed his attention to devising a mode of arbitration or proceeding by means of which the expenses and delay of a Chinese court of law might be avoided. It is not worth while to detail the particulars of the proposition he made, as, after long negotiations, it was rejected by the Tea Guild, who met it by a counter proposition that if Teas when delivered were not equal to muster, it should be rejected. Seeing that no amicable arrangement could be arrived at, the undersigned, in conjunction with the Consul for the United States, requested the Chinese authorities to notify to the Teamen, brokers, and others, that the utmost rigour of the law would be enforced in all cases of fraudulent practices, and he hopes that the Proclamation which has been issued accordingly, a copy of translation of which is annexed, will have the effect intended, by showing the parties against whom it is directed that they will not escape with impunity from the consequences of their misdeeds.

(Signed) D. B. ROBERTSON,
Consul.

Proclamation by CHAN, Magistrate of the Nansai District, and YAO, Magistrate of the P'wan-yu District:

We have received instructions from his Honor the Financial Commissioner, embodying orders from his Excellency the Viceroy in tenor as follow:

The Viceroy received a communication on the 20th August last from the British Consul, Mr. Robertson, to the effect that he has been addressed by the British merchants at Canton with reference to the great loss and detriment to their trade caused by the inferior qualities of the Teas supplied by the Teamen, notwithstanding their contracts to deliver Teas according to muster. The practice appears to be that the Teamen, brokers, and others, take round samples of Teas, and the merchants, after inspecting and tasting their quantities and arranging for the price to be paid for the ship, with the weight in pounds and the time of delivery, engage to be supplied by vessels proceeding to England, and when the Teas arrive in Canton, they are found on inspection to be not only far inferior in quality to the sample supplied, but largely mixed with what are called 'lie-teas,' or leaves of plants of all kinds prepared to imitate the genuine tea. This has now become the regular practice, and it is necessary that some measures should be taken to put an end to the frauds which are thus perpetrated. He therefore urged that measures be devised with this end in view, etc. The V. S. Consul, Mr. King, has also made a similar representation. On receipt of the foregoing the Viceroy orders that a notification be issued to the Tea dealers with injunctions to be laid upon them for their obedience.

The Magistrates being in receipt of the above instructions, have to issue a notification in pursuance of their tenor; and we do therefore accordingly proclaim for the instruction of all members of the Tea Trade, that it is an obvious duty to make honesty and good faith the guiding principle of commerce with foreign merchants, and that to cherish fraudulent designs and to endeavour to defraud foreign merchants is not only prohibited, but that the law will be severely enforced against those who persist in it, not only will those guilty of such acts be liable to prosecution and thus incur the danger of arrest and of actions for compensation, but the trade itself will continue to fall off daily, and the possibility of gain to the trader will be still more remote. It is not difficult to perceive on which side the real interest of the dealer actually lies. After the issue of this Notification, if the traders continue indulging in fraudulent practices, on complaint being lodged by foreign merchants, they shall not only be required to make compensation, but shall further be visited with severe punishment, under the statute for assimilating the offence of obtaining money under false pretences with the crime of robbery. Be ye careful, therefore, not to disobey, and thus to involve yourselves in trouble. Let all tremblingly obey. A special Proclamation.

Dated February 22nd, 1869.

Translated by

Wm. Fred. Mayers.

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The Depot drawing supplies from the best Mines only, intends to provide a superior article, free of the Surface Coal that has hitherto prejudiced consumers.

MILSON & Co.,
Agents.

Kilung, April 2, 1868.

Intimations.

THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA AND JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN."

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868.)

Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to *Notes and Queries on China and Japan*, published monthly by Mr. Saint, the proprietor of the *China Mail* newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour.

The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.)

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr. N. B. Denny, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better known in India.

(From the "London Examiner," May 16, 1868.)

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Feking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr. N. B. Denny, and the elaborate maps and plans with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value.

We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghai, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns, and complete and intelligible plates of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an accurate notion of the relative position of its divisions, streets, and places.

In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found a concise history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively unknown to Europeans.

The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohama, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious index and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to travellers and others, is also included in the volume. The entire work affords a vast amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the Eastern seas.

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Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

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Shanghai, January, 1867.

Intimations.

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Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Ninth call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st June next and will be payable at the office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be charged after the above date.

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary.

Hongkong, March 1, 1869.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Shareholders are requested to take notice that the FIFTH CALL is payable in two instalments of \$100 each on 31st March and 30th June next, at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

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By order of the Board of Directors, JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, February 16, 1869.

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For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

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Company's Office, H. Kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

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Hongkong, March 3, 1869.

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Hongkong, January 19, 1869.

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SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.O., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
STEAMERS							
Arratoon Apeur	W.C. Smith	Brit. str.	938	March 9	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Shanghai	To-day
Clan Alpine	E. Hutchison	Brit. str.	946	March 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co	London	13th, 2 p.m.
Donnai	W.C. Bourdon	Feb. str.	1065	March 8	Messageries Impériales	Swatow, &c.	To-day
Madras	W.C. Davies	Brit. str.	606	March 10	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Malacca	W.C. MacNamara	Brit. str.	1780	March 6	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Niger	W.C. Jobling	Brit. str.	1125	March 1	Borneo Company		
Sunda	W.C. Soames	Brit. str.	1812	Feb. 19	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Swonoda	W. Payne	Amer. str.	1802	March 4	A. Heard & Co		
Tijana	W. Gaine	Brit. str.	805	January 21	A. Heard & Co		
United Service	W. Gaine	Amer. str.	777	March 3	Borneo Company		
Yenus	W. Dunning	Brit. str.	680	March 30	A. Heard & Co		
Yenus	W. Ashton	Brit. str.	680	March 30	Douglas Lapraik & Co		
Yung-hai-an	W. Morrison	Russ. str.	447	October 19	Landstein & Co		
SAILING VESSELS							
Agnetta & Constantia	W. Lindouk	Dut. bk.	468	Feb. 1	Bosman & Co	put back	Repairing
Albatross	N. Ger. bk.	550	Feb. 10	E. Schellhaas & Co			
Amatree	W.C. Halmerton	Brit. bk.	399	January 20	Birley & Co		
Amaranth	K. Fabricius	N. Ger. bk.	400	March 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Amber Witch	K. Paralle	Brit. bk.	338	March 8	R. S. Walker & Co		
America	K. Paralle	Salv. bk.	1450	January 10	Captain		
Amor	W.C. Duncanson	Brit. bk.	303	Feb. 28	Order		
Amor	W.C. Gyllenpalm	Russ. bk.	200	March 8	Order		
Anne	E. Petrie	Brit. coh.	304	Feb. 18	John Burd & Co		
Ansonion	W.C. Berri	Span. bk.	270	Feb. 19	Order		
Atlantic	E. Subr	N. Ger. bk.	183	January 21	Carlowitz & Co	Tientsin	
Audax	K.O. Sullivan	Brit. bk.	299	Dec. 31	Falconer & Co		
Benelador	W.C. Berry	Amer. bk.	598	Feb. 28	Smith, Archer & Co		
Benelador	W. Chelley	Brit. coh.	204	Feb. 20	Order		
Black Prince	E. Inglis	Brit. sh.	750	March 4	Turner & Co		
Callao	E. Lavarello	Salv. sh.	1440	Nov. 17	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Candelaria	W. Lara	Span. bk.	407	January 28	Remedios & Co	Nagasaki	
Catharina	W.C. Molsen	N. Ger. bk.	350	January 22	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Melbourne and Sydney	
Charlotte	N. Ger. sch.	319	Feb. 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co			
Charlotte H. Andrews	W. Vandervord	Brit. bk.	355	Feb. 2	Rozario & Co		
Don West	N. Ger. sh.	541	Feb. 21	Bourjau, Hubener & Co			
Dom Pedro II	W. Young	Brit. bk.	244	March 1	P. A. Motte & Co	Yokohama	
Ellen	W. Windsor	Brit. sh.	631	Dec. 20	Olyphant & Co	Saigon	
Esmeralda	W.C. Kappelmann	N. Ger. bk.	400	March 1	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
F. A. Palmer	W. McCallin	Brit. sh.	1626	January 3	A. Heard & Co		
Frederic	W. Nicaise	Belg. sh.	803	January 6	Borneo Company		
Fromm	W.C. Lutgens	N. Ger. sch.	196	Feb. 23	Carlowitz & Co		
Gorge Becker	W.C. Behnck	N. Ger. bk.	208	March 6	Siemens & Co		
Guinevere	W.C. Spowat	Brit. sh.	878	Feb. 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Helvetia	E. Bailey	Amer. sh.	1205	Feb. 9	Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early
Hongkong	W. Freudenburg	Siam. sh.	635	Feb. 14	Chinese		
Isis	E. Schultze	N. Ger. bk.	224	Feb. 28	E. Schellhaas & Co		
Japan	K. Hayer	N. Ger. bk.	216	Feb. 8	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	Yokohama	
Junio	E. Iversen	N. Ger. bk.	259	March 6	Arnhold, Karberg & Co		
Kim Yang Tye	W. Lange	Siam. lug.	329	January 18	Chinese		
Lean Fa	W.C. Collinson	Brit. bk.	286	October 10	Order		
Lima	W. Heinhardt	Ital. bk.	255	Feb. 9	Carlowitz & Co	Tientsin	
Louisa	W.	Dan. bk.	227	March 6			
Madura	W. Steffens	N. Ger. bk.	253	March 7	Siemens & Co		
Maggie	E. Bowman	Brit. sh.	222	Nov. 28	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Maria	W. Canellas	Russ. sh.	637	Feb. 10	Landstein & Co		
Matador	W.C. Kalkoer	N. Ger. bk.	302	March 8	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Mena	W. Icarue	Span. bk.	455	January 18	Gas Company		
Meteor	W. Petterson	Siam. bk.	395	Feb. 11	Chinese		
Morning Star	W. Schutt	Siam. bk.	570	January 17	Chinese		
National Eagle	E. Nickerson	Amer. sh.	1095	Feb. 1	A. Heard & Co	San Francisco	Early
Navarino	E. Radion	Brit. bk.	405	Feb. 21	Landstein & Co		
Neptune	W. Busnell	Brit. bk.	287	Feb. 7	R. S. Walker & Co		
Nuevo Constante	W. Fahie	Span. bk.	203	Dec. 16	Remedios & Co		
Ocean	E. Nuyres	Feb. bk.	528	Nov. 5	Russell & Co		
Queen of England	W. Hoffmann	Siam. sh.	542	January 18	Chinese		
Rodrigo	W.C. Perello	Span. bk.	177	March 8	Wahes & Co		
Ruby	E. Schwalby	Brit. bk.	532	Feb. 15	Carlowitz & Co		
Santa Anna	W. Gavito	Span. bk.	402	Feb. 10	Remedios & Co		
Sea Serpent	K. White	Amer. sh.	374	Feb. 16	Russell & Co		
Shirley	W. Ferguson	Brit. sh.	1049	Dec. 31	Russell & Co	San Francisco	put back Immediate
Southern Cross	E. Mordue	Brit. bk.	592	January 21	Ray & Co		
Sultan	W.C. Moss	Brit. bk.	620	Feb. 27	Thomas Howard		
W. G. Russell	E. Jewett	Brit. sh.	1243	March 7	Master	San Francisco	Early
Windward	K. Barrett	Amer. sh.	982	Feb. 8	Russell & Co		
Young Greek	W. Beiroth	Brit. bk.	424	January 19	Yuen Fat Hong		
Ziba	K. Bowes	Brit. bk.	513	March 7	Douglas Lapraik & Co		

WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Anne Porter	Davey	Brit. bk.	234	March 3	Order	Ningpo.	
Arthur	Crovelly	Amer. bk.	280	January 28	Russell & Co		
Bahama	Hartger	N. Ger. bk.	715	Feb. 27	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Ningpo.	
Batavia	Mooney	Brit. str.	365	March 9	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Bertha	Hoffheiser	N. Ger. coh.	223	Feb. 24	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Tientsin	
Clipper	Buhrfeind	N. Ger. bk.	225	Feb. 18	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Colima	Joye	Span. str.	1200	March 7	Spanish Consul		
Patino							

VESSELS LOADING.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—			
NINGPO.	Anne Porter	Brit. bk.	Order
Do.	Batavia	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
TIENTSIN	Atlantic	N. Ger. bk.	Carlowitz & Co
Do.	Louisa	Dan. bk.	
Do.	Colima	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
YOKOHAMA	Der West	N. Ger. sh.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
Do.	Japan	N. Ger. bk.	Arnhold, Karberg & Co
NAGASAKI	Catharina	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
OTHER PORTS—			
LONDON	United Service	Brit. str.	Borneo Company
SAN FRANCISCO	Helvetia	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	National Eagle	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Windward	Brit. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	F. A. Palmer	Brit. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Shirley	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	C. H. Andrews	Brit. bk.	Rozario & Co
SAIGON	Esmeralda	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co

*At Whampoa.

†At Canton.

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Commander.
Adventure	British	steam troop ship	1704	400 Hy. J. Raby, V.C. Capt.
Bouncer	British	gun boat	230	60 Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Cockchafer	British	gun boat	250	60 H. W. Kerr
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230	Attached to Melville
Grasshopper	British	gun boat	230	60 In ordinary.
Iroquois	U. States	steam sloop	1000	60 Earl English
Janus	British	gun boat	167	40 Leicester C. Keppel
Messene	British	Military hospital	2501	Hospital ship
Melville	British	Naval hospital		Geo. B. Hill, Staff Surgeon.
Perseus	British	steam sloop	955	200 O. J. Stevens
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2448	14 Oliver J. Jones, Commodore

CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Vessel	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
An-lan	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Godall
Chen-to	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Edwards
Ching-ling	Chinese	gun boat	4	Bessard
Chin-lai	Chinese	gun boat	6	Deind
Fai-long	Chinese	gun boat	5	Francis
Spy	Chinese	Customs' launch	3	Pointur
Sui-ling	Chinese	gun boat	180	Stewart
Tien-po	Chinese	gun boat	6	de Longueville

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON

EVEN STEAMERS.

Vessel	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co
Pang (110 h.p. power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Firu Dart	Do.	380	Benning	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kin Shan	Do.	456	Benning	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang	Do.	617	Benning	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	Do.	69	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug
Little Orphan	Do.	46	Benning	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Poyang	Do.	379	Cary	Q. Acheong
Prince Albert	Do.	180	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Sir J. Jebb	Do.	101	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Do.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British	280	Carroll	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.

RECEIVING SHIPS & HULKS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Chase	P. M.	ship	283	Mason	Harbour Master (Gunpowder)
Port William	British	ship	1000	Townsend	P. & O. S. N. Co
John Adam	British	barque	318	Dennis Daly	Water Police
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